

Please do not repeal the ban on cross-ownership of both a newspaper and TV station in the same geographic area.

America's great strength is the diversity of its peoples, cultures, religions, political beliefs, and opinions.

Allowing media companies to monopolize access to the news in a city or area violates free speech protections, in effect if not in intent. We must keep cross-ownership regulations in place, or risk creating powerful media interests that will dictate the news rather than report it.

Thank you for your serious consideration.